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In this issue Sports, Politics, Religion and just about every other subject have been left out

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Christmas Greetings

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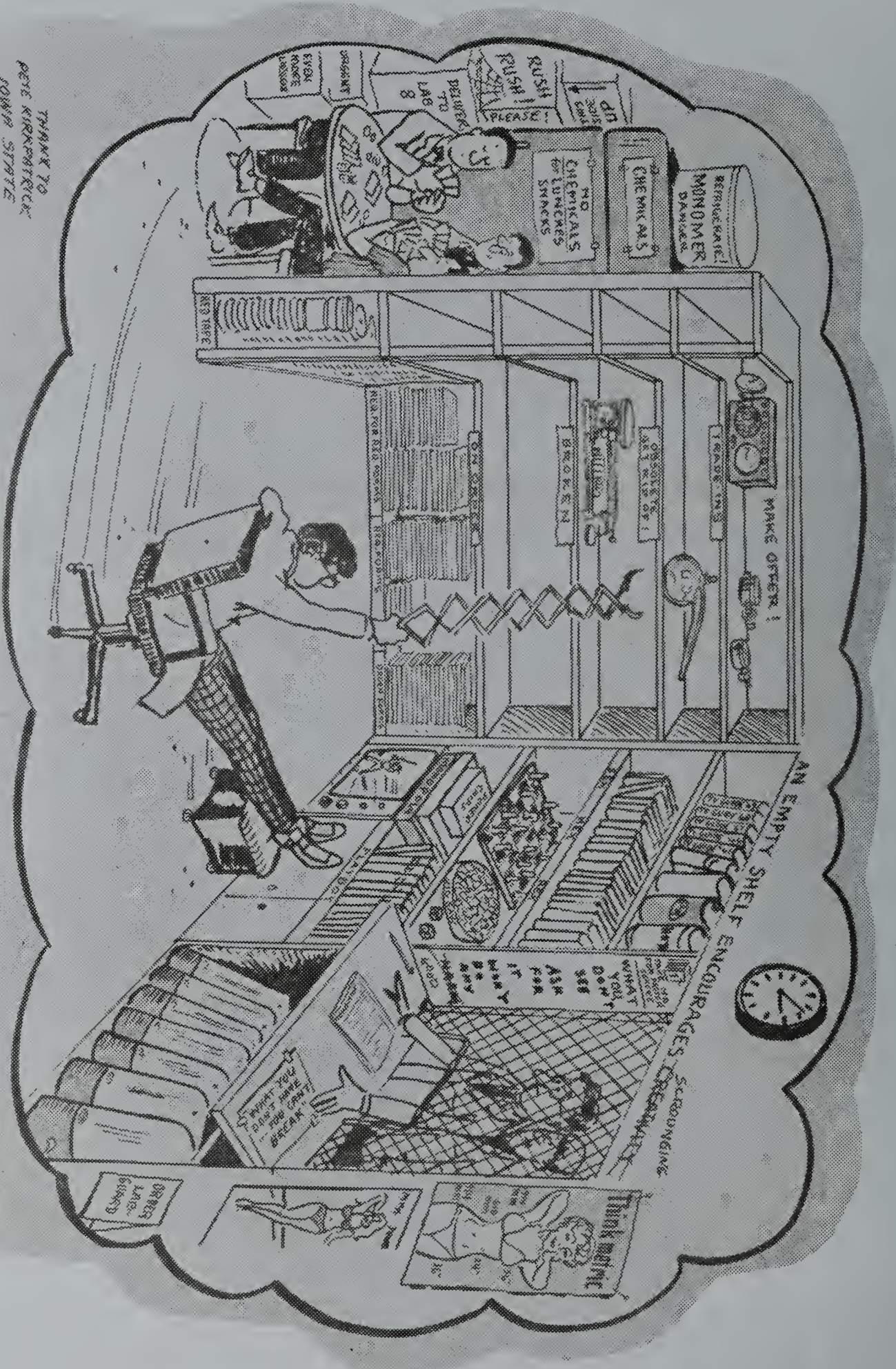
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THANK TO
PETE KIRKPATRICK
JOHN STATE

LAB MAN'S CONCEPT OF THE STOREROOM MAN



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TRADE OR BARTER

Retractable PROBE (non-polluting) for injector system; conversion kits available for special applications. Male orders not accepted. MFB 3488.

See how they jig and do it like a pro! Moira Sweaney's School of Dance.

Set of golf clubs, also surgical back support (large) and unused trophy shelf. Jack 3521.

Slightly worn ball mill, roller type variable speed two tier; dual positions incorporating idler and driven rollers; accommodates cylinders 2-13". Works best on recoil-less spring bed. Make an offer. The John Machine Co. 3506.

Sterilizers, several models, steam pressure, vertical or horizontal, complete with rack, compensator and relief valve; 50-60 Hz 115v AC. ZPG or local agent.

Stimulator, student model, much used but condition excellent. Must be seen to be believed. Contact Rhagnor, 3rd floor.

Stripped Berries. Cheryl 2907.

Support assembly - free standing and three dimensional. A rigid support system for mounting assemblies of small-wares, especially suited for organic work. Rods are threaded for vertical mounting on a curved swivel base in any of 7

positions or for interconnection when greater height is desired; with counter-sunk screw holes and smoothly bored sockets to fit half-inch rods closely. Weaver Co. 3480.

Supports: rounded nestling base provides stability and permits legs of adjacent bases to slide under one another; rubber inserts recommended for heavy apparatus. Bill Smith 3512.

Taxidermists supplies, forceps, tenaculum and other tools. Rising 3485.

Thermocouple Instruction Book. Learn to do it yourself. Previous experience useful but not essential. Tessie 4844.

Will trade 60 chess books (unopened) for light aircraft or other means of Queening my pawn. Paul 3512.

Used "The Guide to Liberated Womanhood" by Fallus and Freeman. Angela 8879.

Used Welsh Dresser, shabby, in the rough; will sacrifice. Cathy.

Versatile photographer's enlarger with well developed bellows extension and all round accessories; in camera demonstrations, negative or positive reproduction guaranteed. Norman 3527.

Dear Mother and Dad,

It has now been three months since I left for college. I have been remiss in writing, and I am very sorry for my thoughtlessness in not having written before. I will bring you up to date now, but before you read on please sit down. You are not to read any further unless you are sitting down. Okay?

Well then I am getting along pretty well now. The skull fracture and the concussion I got when I jumped out of the window of my dormitory when it caught fire shortly after my arrival are pretty well healed now. I only spent 2 weeks in the hospital, and now I can see almost normally and only get those sick headaches once a day.

Fortunately, the fire in the dormitory and my jump were witnessed by an attendant at the gas station near the dorm and he was the one who called the Fire Department and the ambulance. He also visited me at the hospital, and since I had nowhere to live because of the burnt-out dormitory, he was kind enough to invite me to share his apartment with him. It's really a basement room, but it's kind of cute. He is a very fine boy, and we have fallen deeply in love and are planning to get married. We haven't set the date yet, but it will be before my pregnancy begins to show.

Yes, Mother and Dad, I am pregnant, I know how much you are looking forward to being grandparents, and I know you will welcome the baby and give it the same love and devotion and tender care you gave me when I was a child. The reason for the delay in our marriage is that my boy friend has some minor infection which prevents us from passing our pre-marital blood tests, and I carelessly caught it from him. This will soon clear up with the penicillin injections I am now taking daily.

I know you will welcome him into our family with open arms. He is kind, and although not well educated, he is ambitious. Although he is of a different race and religion than ours, I know your oft-expressed tolerance will not permit you to be bothered by the fact that his skin color is somewhat darker than ours. I am sure you will love him as I do. His family background is good too, for I am told that his father is an important gunbearer in the village in Africa from which he comes.

Now that I have brought you up to date, I want to tell you that there was no dormitory fire, I did not have a concussion or a skull fracture, I was not in the hospital, I am not pregnant, I am not engaged, I do not have syphilis, and there is no schwartz in my life. However I am getting a "D" in History and "F" in Science - and I wanted you to see those marks in the proper perspective.

Your loving daughter,

MARY

QUOTES OVERHEARD IN THE COFFEE ROOM

Who has italics on their ball? I give up.

Are you going again? I've just been.

Dr. Pointing likes it better with everything off.

Big ones are back in style.

You can't do it in July but you can in August.

Anonymous Professor: "Well, if you're planning a trip to Europe, you should really learn the metric system."

Sweet Young Thing: "Oh! How does he do it?"

M E M O R A N D U M

To: All Employees at University of Toronto and Main Offices
Re: Standard Procedure Instructions in Death of an Employee

It has been recently brought to the attention of the office that many employees have been dying while on duty of apparently no good reason at all. Furthermore, the same employees are refusing to fall over after they are dead.

THIS PRACTICE MUST STOP AT ONCE!

On or after January 1, 1973, any employee found sitting up after he or she has died will be dropped from the payroll at once, without an investigation under regulation #29-Section 81.

Where it can be proven that the employee is being held up by a desk, drafting table or a typewriter or any other support which is the property of this office, a 90 day period of grace will be granted. The following procedure will be strictly adhered to:

If after several hours, it is noticed that an employee has not moved or changed position, the department head will investigate. Because of the highly sensitive nature of some of our employees and the close resemblance between death and their natural working attitude, the investigation will be made quietly so as to prevent waking the employee if he is asleep. If some doubt arises as to his true condition, extending a paycheck is a fine test. If the employee does not reach for it, it may be reasonably assumed that he is dead. (Note: In some cases, the instinct is so strongly developed, however, that a spasmodic clutching reflex condition may occur. Don't let this fool you.)

In all cases a sworn statement by the dead person must be filled out on a special form provided for this purpose. Fifteen copies will be made, three copies to be sent to Simcoe Hall and two to the deceased. The others will be promptly lost in the main office files.

Administrative Officer.

THERE WAS A YOUNG GIRL FROM MADRAS
WHO HAD A MOST BEAUTIFUL ASS
IT WAS NOT AS YOU THINK
ALL CUDDLY AND PINK
BUT WAS GREY, HAD LONG EARS AND ATE GRASS!

COMMUNICATIONS PROBLEMS ARE NOTHING NEW

Minutes drawn at random from past Zoology Staff Meetings

A meeting of the Staff was held on Saturday morning, September 29, 1945

- It was proposed that a motor should be installed on the elevator.
- Dr. Fry was asked to investigate the whole problem of taking up food and bringing down refuse more expeditiously from the top floor.
- It was suggested that a meeting be arranged with the staff and Graduate Students to discuss the possibility of their further assistance in the present emergency.

October 29, 1945

- The request for assistance in the Mouse Room was introduced by Dr. Walker at this point.

May 8, 1951

- Re the question of the prevalence of mice now in the Building, it was advised that the Superintendent's Office should be consulted for a remedy or extermination.

January 27, 1947

- A report was presented by Dr. Fisher concerning the progress made by him and Dr. Atwood with the problem of solving the traffic congestion in the parking lot. He recommended that the necessary steps be taken to have lines drawn on the ground and on the building and that a decision be reached later about reserving these spaces.

October 27, 1947

- Dr. Fisher gave a report from the Parking Lot Committee and it was felt that the Committee's plans should proceed as outlined.

November 22, 1948

- The question of present unsatisfactory telephone service was introduced by Professor Dymond who explained his reasons for inserting a sign on the main extension.

December 3, 1948

- Suggestions for Investigation submitted by staff members.
 - 1) the matter of exposed wires.

January 17, 1949

- A discussion of the present telephone service resulted in a unanimous agreement that an additional telephone is required for the east wing of the building. A suggestion in this connection was also made that there might be only one type of key to the Building and that this key fit a lock on the telephone extension to Local 125. The telephone could then be locked when not in use by Departmental staff members.
- Professor Dymond reported to the meeting that a telephone traffic survey authorized by the Supt's office did not warrant the installation of an additional telephone but that a re-arrangement of the present service would be undertaken after the completion of a second traffic survey.
- In connection with long-term needs, it was moved by Professor Coventry and seconded by Dr. Fisher that

1. The staff in Zoology go on record as holding that the present building is quite unfit quarters for a Department of Zoology on a scale commensurate with the needs of, and the demands, on, the University of Toronto. The building does not provide space for graduate students, for undergraduate students, or for sufficient staff to take care of the proper needs of the Department, and the condition of the building makes it an academic slum.

April 24, 1949

- Concerning a report on the telephone situation, it was agreed that the second floor extension on local 125 should be changed to local 127 and that the graduate students should be asked to use local 126 (second floor, west wing) after a buzzer connecting it with room 107 is installed.
- The report of Professor Dymond on the budget proposed for next session indicated that \$128,000. had been requested for Salaries and \$76,000. for Maintenance, i.e., an increase of \$12,000. in salaries for next year and one of \$18,000. for maintenance.

May 4, 1949

- Professor Dymond indicated that nothing further had transpired in regard to the matter of telephones since there were insufficient funds to make the changes before Fall.

January 25, 1950.

- Professor Dymond also informed those present that he planned to interview Bill Smith again regarding the need for improved Store Room service. It was tentatively thought that graduate students might be appointed to provide a relief for Bill and service in the Store Room in his absence.

February 10, 1950

- The purpose of the meeting was to acquaint the Staff with the President's desire for a 10% reduction in the over-all total of Maintenance and Salary Estimates to be submitted by University departments for the session 1950-51.

March 20, 1950

- Further attempts have been made by Professor Dymond for improved Store Room service.
- Mr. Neal, Chairman, Museum Committee, is ready for suggestions re the disposal of a dinosaur head.

October 19, 1950

- In an effort to have improved departmental Store Room service it was decided that Alan Brooks should be appointed to relieve Bill Smith when it was necessary for the latter to be away from the Store Room. It was also decided that lateness and other time taken by Smith without permission should be made up by deduction from noon-hour and holidays. Professor Dymond asked R.R. Langford to act with him with the aid of Alan Brooks in assisting Bill Smith to establish a better order in the Store Room.
- The staff was told that four of the new binocular microscopes have disappeared without any record of their disappearance on file. The staff was urged to report the whereabouts of these, if known.

October 30, 1950

- Miss Jenkins was asked to have ready for the next meeting a budget of estimated expenses in connection with tea, flowers for funerals, wedding presents, presentations, etc. with view to introducing the practice of having an annual assessment for all members of the Staff to take care of unexpected expenditures throughout the year.

January 15, 1951

- The matter of better service from the departmental Store Room was discussed. It was decided that Mr. Smith should be asked to come regularly to work at 8:45 and should remain in the Store Room throughout the day, taking a lunch hour from 12:15 to 1:45 and

leaving at 5:15. Only in case of an emergency should he have to leave and then he should post a notice on his door indicating his whereabouts.

February 12, 1951

- In considering the matter of better Store Room service, Professor Dymond informed the meeting that he had several talks with Bill Smith and that Dr. Langford and Dr. Fry had offered their cooperation in the matter by forming a Committee, Dr. Langford as Chairman.

February 12, 1951

- It was decided that some fire alarm system should be discussed at the next meeting.

May 8, 1951

- Mr. Neal, in reporting for the Museum Committee, asked that the Laboratory staff be asked to co-operate in returning models to their rightful places and to avoid the present carelessness of throwing them into the cases anywhere.

Dr. Englebert indicated that the technical staff had spent considerable time in collecting frogs' eggs recently.

Thursday afternoon, May 10th at 2:30 p.m. was decided upon to have staff members stationed throughout the building for the purpose of confirming that the fire gong could be heard in all parts of the building.

October 21, 1952

- Professor Dymond informed those present that the bust of Ramsay Wright which has been in his Office has been given to Miss Jacobine Jones, Sculptress, for refurbishing. If the result is successful and it seems advisable, other could be considered for refurbishing and more ornamental use in the building.

Room 12 it to be cleared of debris. Anyone having belonging in there should retrieve them immediately if they do not want them thrown out.

November 18, 1952

- Professor Dymond told the meeting that the Superintendent had been written about the desire of this Department for better telephone service but no reply has been received yet.

There has been only one reply to the request for use of the President's travelling fund.

Ramsay Wright's bust is now in Professor Dymond's office. If the staff would like it to be more bronze than its present green, they may express an opinion to that effect.

February 8, 1955

- It was decided to consider at another meeting the possibility of developing in students greater ability to acquire information and understand principles without formal instruction.

October 12, 1955

- In connection with the telephone situation, Dr. Dymond asked for opinions of the Staff with reference to the need for a night line into the Biology Building.

October 18, 1955

- Arising out the discussion about fire hazards it was decided to offer through the Chief of the Science Division of the Library of Congress, to give our "Concilium Bibliographicum" to any worthy institution that will pay the cost of packing and shipping it.

November 29, 1955

- It was announced that the sum at the disposal of the Department for travel during the academic year 1955-56 is \$223.35.

TRADE OR BARTER

Ride wanted, looking for suitable companion. Kornatowski
3506. Will go anywhere.

Are you malcomtented? Try a new experience - make a sally.

For sale: Dishes with flat bottoms and rounded sides.
For use at high temperatures.

For sale: Test tube with screw-cap, sterile. Sgt. Welch.

For sale: 2 stopcocks, straight bore, fitted in pedestal for
mounting, female thread for pipe connecting. Sgt. Welch.

For sale: Borer sets. Excellently made for an unlimited
service life. Locked in position by a screw. Sgt. Welch.

THE DIRTY OLD MAN

When I awoke this morning I was aware it wasn't an ordinary day. I felt an inner sense of gloom that made me want to close my eyes and go back to sleep. Then I remembered it was my birthday, and at my age who needs another one. I arose, showered and dressed and descended the stairs, bracing myself for the usual chorus of "Happy Birthday" from the kids, but there was none. Not even a cheerful "Happy Birthday dear", from my wife. Instead of being grateful that so far the world had allowed me to ignore it, I felt even a greater gloom. As I entered my office, my lovely secretary greeted me with nothing more than "Good Morning Prof.". Then, all smiles she said, "It's such a beautiful day, Prof., I've decided to take you to a darling little place in the country for lunch to celebrate your birthday." We arrived and had a few drinks and a wonderful lunch. On the way back to town my secretary said, "Now we will stop by my apartment where it is quiet and we will have some privacy and have another drink." When we arrived, she mixed me a drink then excused herself to "change into something more comfortable." (Ah! This is a good world after all.) Soon she called out, "Are you ready for my little surprise?" Her bedroom door opened and there she stood holding up a huge birthday cake all aglow with candles. There also stood my wife and kids, their eyes aglow with love. And there I stood with nothing on but my socks.....

HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT THE ADMINISTRATION'S "MUSHROOM METHOD" OF HANDLING ACADEMIC STAFF? KEEP THEM IN THE DARK AND FEED THEM A LOT OF "MANURE"!

Anon.



HI ZOO,
I AM STANLEY. CAN MY DOG,
SKIPPER, STAY IN THE ZOO
FOR A WEEK? HE IS AN ANI-
MAL AND HE HAS NEVER
BEEN IN A ZOO. OKAY? DON'T
FORGET. HIS NAME IS SKIP-
PER AND HE IS A NICE DOG.
PLEASE DON'T PUT HIM IN A
CAGE WITH A LION.

YOUR PAL,
STANLEY
BIRMINGHAM

DEAR MR. ZOO MAN,
I WANT A BABY LION FOR A PET.
HERE IS \$3.50 I SAVED UP. PLEASE
SEND ME A NICE BABY LION.

LOVE,
DIANE A.
NEW YORK CITY

P.S. PLEASE DON'T TELL MY MOTH-
ER. SHE DOESN'T KNOW YET.



DEAR MISTER,
I WOULD LIKE TO BUY
A SKUNK FROM YOUR
ZOO. I WANT TO GIVE
IT TO MY GIRL FRIEND
AS A BIG SURPRISE.

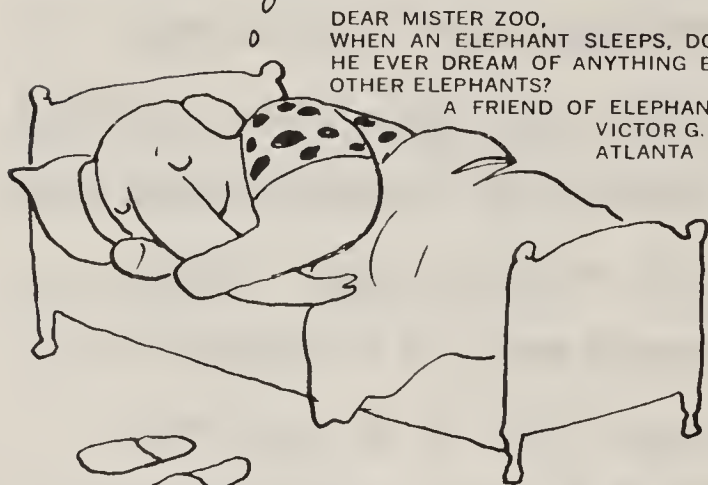
YOUR PAL,
MICHAEL W.
LOS ANGELES

DEAR MR. ZOOKEEPER,
DO ELEPHANTS SLEEP STANDING OR LYING
DOWN? I WOULD LIKE TO COME OVER SOME
NIGHT TO FIND OUT. DON'T WORRY. I WON'T
WAKE THEM UP.

YOUR PAL,
ALEX

DEAR ZOO,
IF YOU THINK THAT
THE MULE IS STUB-
BORN, YOU SHOULD
MEET MY SISTER.

SINCERELY,
JAY K.
NASHVILLE



DEAR MISTER ZOO,
WHEN AN ELEPHANT SLEEPS, DOES
HE EVER DREAM OF ANYTHING BUT
OTHER ELEPHANTS?

A FRIEND OF ELEPHANTS,
VICTOR G.
ATLANTA



DEAR ZOO,
WHEN I GROW UP I WANT TO BE THE FIRST
LADY LION TAMER. I AM PRACTICING WITH
MY PUSSYCAT.

LOVE,
ANNIE W.
ST. LOUIS

DEAR ZOO,
I WOULD LIKE TO
BRING A GORILLA
HOME. I DON'T WANT
TO KEEP HIM. I JUST
WANT TO SEE MY
MOTHER'S FACE WHEN
I WALK IN THE HOUSE.

YOUR FRIEND,
BOBBY K.
BOSTON



DEAR ZOO SIR,
I HAVE BEEN TO
YOUR ZOO SIX TIMES
AND I AM IN LOVE
WITH THE MONKEY
NAMED MAX.

LOVE,
CYNTHIA J.
DETROIT

P.S. PLEASE DON'T
TELL MY BOYFRIEND,
STEWART.



DEAR MR. ZOO

Compiled by BILL ADLER
Illustrated by WHITNEY DARROW JR.

Children's letters to
the keepers of
their favorite animals are
funny, tender, touching
and sometimes
surprisingly revealing

DEAR ZOO PEOPLE,
I AM ONLY NINE BUT I THINK
ANIMALS ARE NICER THAN PEOP-
LE. I KNOW THE ANIMALS FEEL
THE SAME WAY.

SINCERELY,
GEORGE W.
MALDEN

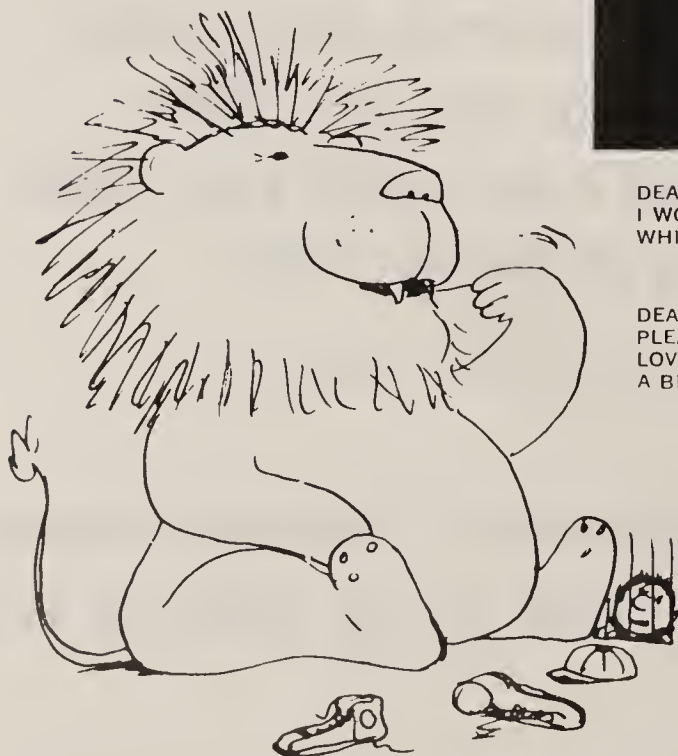


DEAR ZOO,
I WOULD LIKE TO BUY A GIRAFFE OR A ZEBRA.
WHICHEVER IS CHEAPER.

YOURS TRULY,
AMY L.
BOSTON

DEAR ZOO,
PLEASE TELL THE LIONS THAT PAMELA DARD
LOVES THEM AND WOULD LIKE TO GIVE THEM
A BIG KISS BUT SHE IS SCARED.

LOVE,
PAMELA DARD
SAN FRANCISCO



DEAR ZOOKEEPER,
DOES THE LION HAVE ANY OTHER BAD
HABITS BESIDES EATING PEOPLE?

RAYMOND J.
CHICAGO

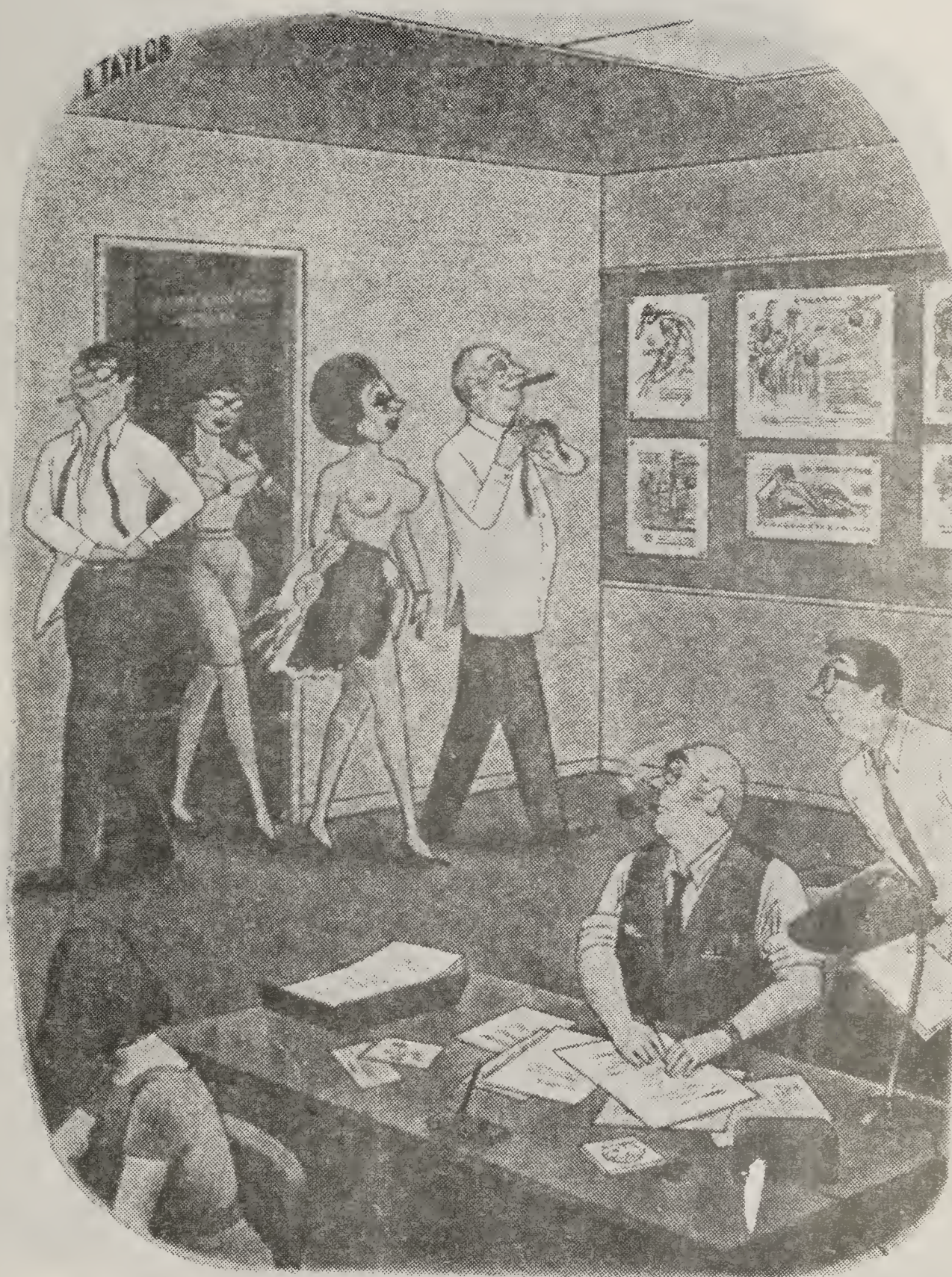


DEAR MR.,
YOU SHOULD PUT A SIGN UP IN THE ZOO THAT
SAYS "DON'T STARE AT THE ANIMALS." IT'S
RUDE TO STARE AND ANIMALS HAVE FEELINGS
JUST LIKE PEOPLE

YOURS TRULY,
PATRICIA W.
LAS VEGAS

DEAR ZOO,
I WANT TO COME TO THE ZOO AND SHAKE
HANDS WITH THE ZEBRA BECAUSE I NEVER
SHAKED HANDS WITH A ZEBRA BEFORE IN MY
WHOLE LIFE.

MICKEY J
WASHINGTON, D C
AGE 8



*"Looks as though the Entertainment Committee
has come up with some fresh ideas
for this year's Christmas party."*



FOR GOD'S SAKE IKE, THE BUDGET CAN WAIT TILL MONDAY!



PLEASE NOTE THE GALLOPING GOURMET'S NEW ADDRESS:
THE DIRECTOR,
FISHERIES RESEARCH BOARD,
ST. ANDREWS.

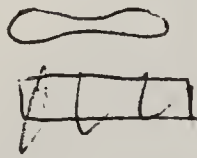


IF I WALK THIS WAY NOBODY WILL
NOTICE MY ZIPPER IS BROKEN



YOU'RE RIGHT GIRLS - IT IS THE ADMIN. OFFICER

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THE TYPISTS ARE MOST ANXIOUS TO KNOW THE MEANING
OF THE SYMBOLS ON THIS SHEET WHICH WAS FOUND IN
THE COFFEE ROOM

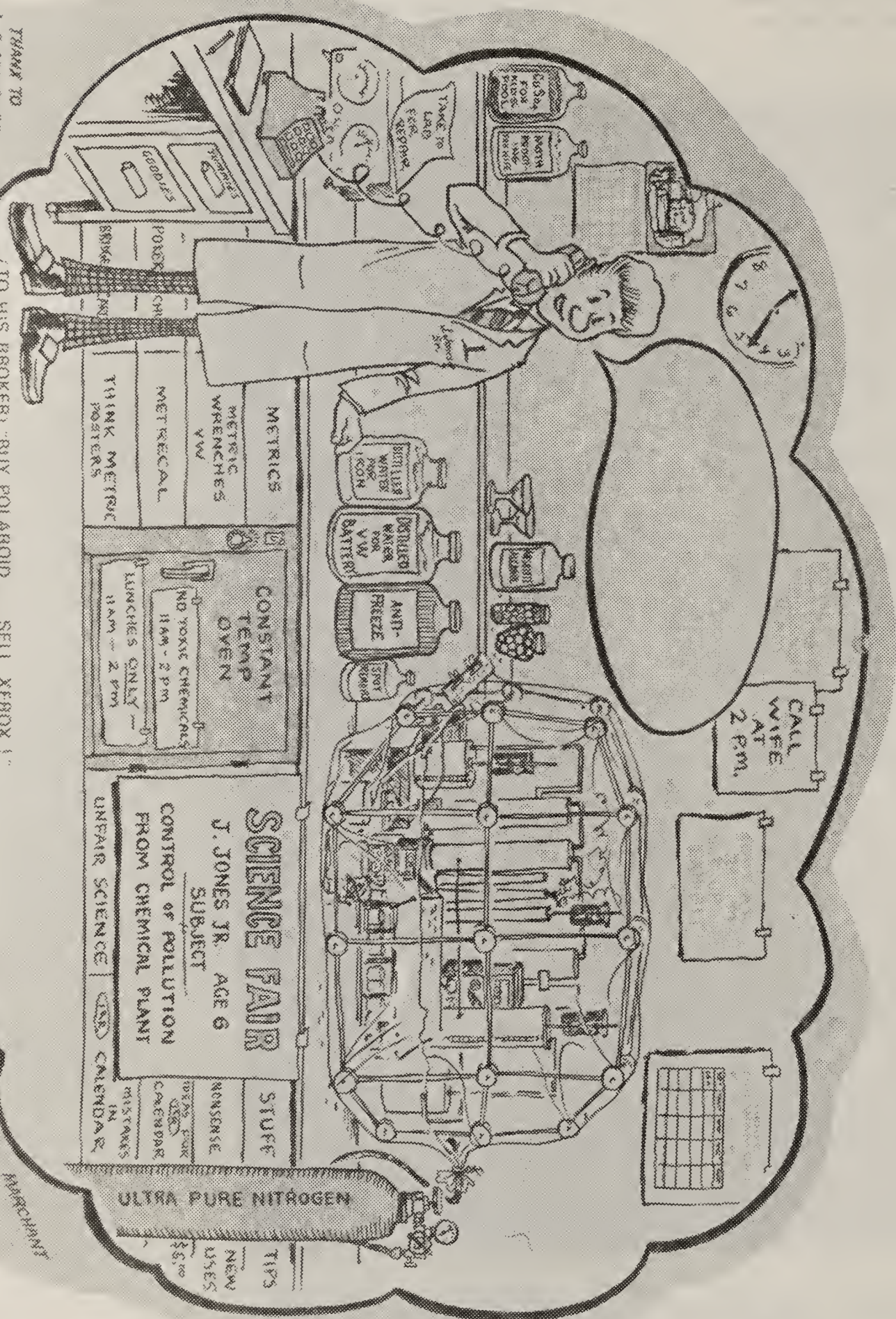
Snail wins award

A RECORDING of a snail munching a
lettuce leaf has won Cotswold herd manager
Ray Goodwin an award in a national tape-
recording contest.

THANK TO
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DRAWING 1270

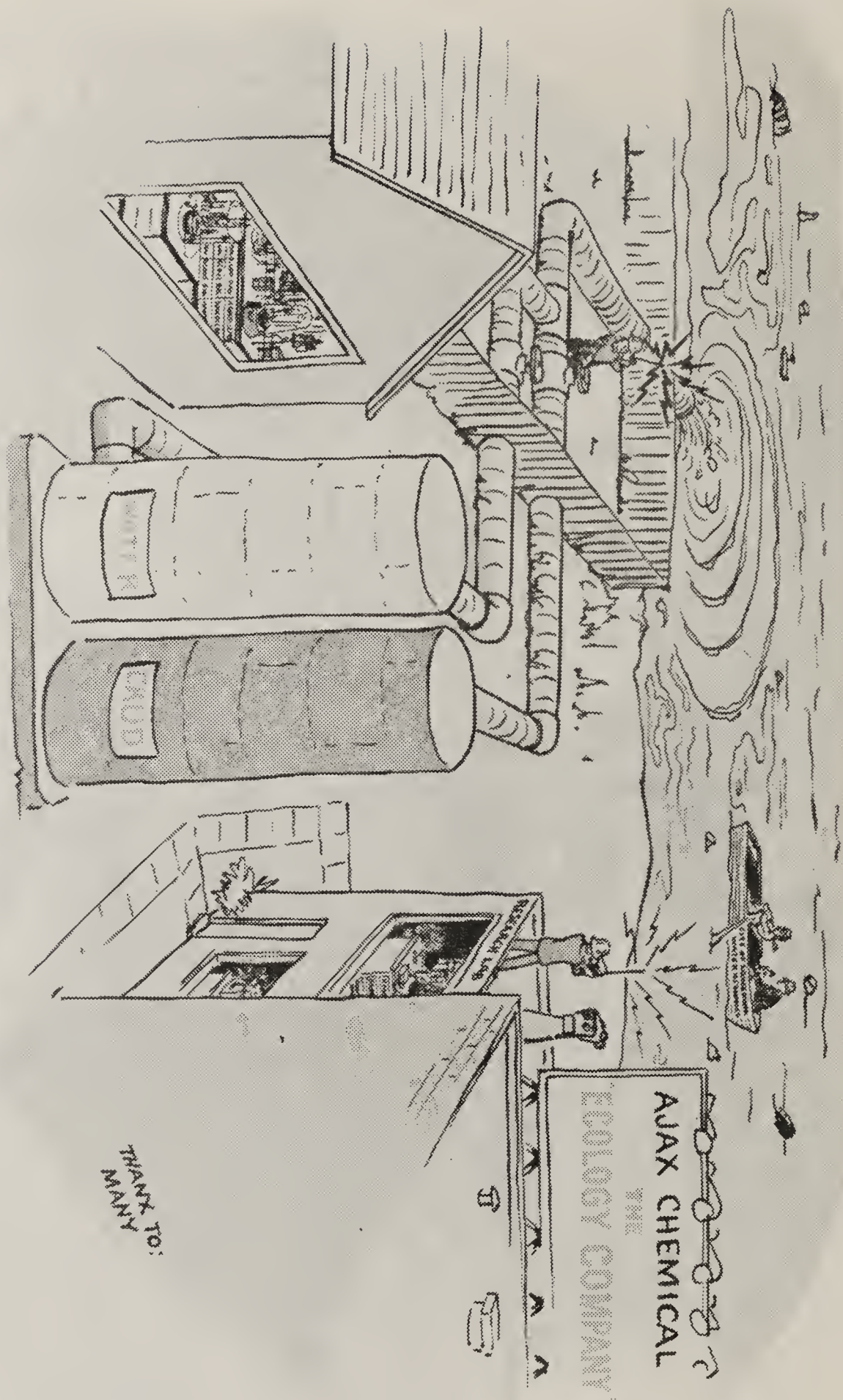
(TO HIS BROKER) "BUY POLAROID ... SELL XEROX!"

STOREROOM MAN'S CONCEPT OF HOW A LAB MAN SPENDS HIS TIME



MARCHANT





"EASE OFF ON THE WATER."

1971 by CDD

THANK TO:
MANY

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology

5 December 1972

Mr. Norman Hatton
Ramsay Wright Zoological Laboratories
University of Toronto
25 Harbord Street
Toronto 5, Ontario
C a n a d a

Dear Norman,

Many thanks for sending on the motor drive unit. Regarding the piece for the ZOO NEWS, after a few head scratchings I have come up with the enclosed, which you may use at your discretion.

Best wishes to all at the Lab. and a very Merry Christmas!

Aloha!



D.W. Dunham
Research Affiliate

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology

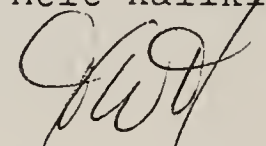
Christmas, 1972

A Message from the Sandwich Islands

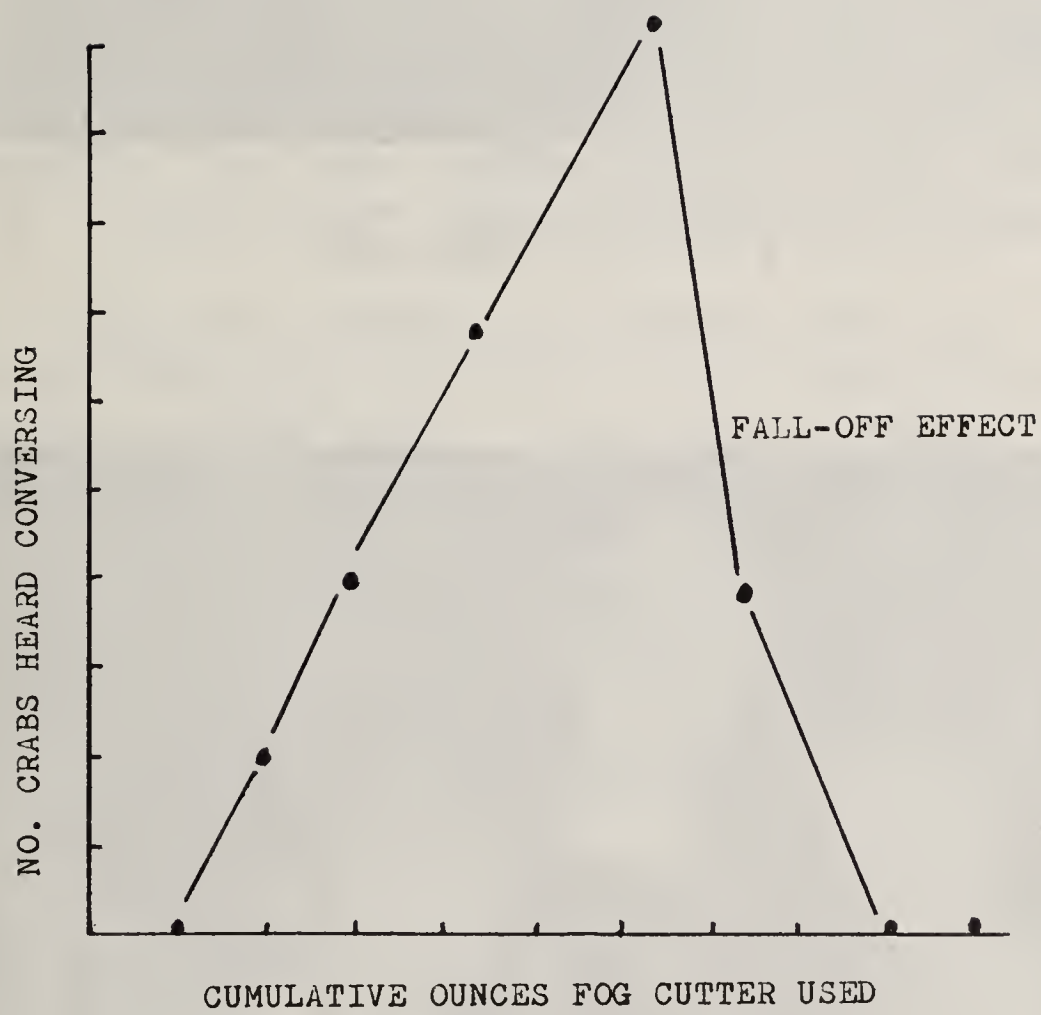
In response to persistent inquiry, I thought it best to reveal my whereabouts and activities over the past few months. I am not, as has been rumored, in darkest Africa, or the steam room of the Faculty Club. The truth is that I have been enduring the rigours of life in the North Pacific. Beaten by northwesterly gales, and waves up to 35 feet, I hang on, not to be deterred from my quest for knowledge! As I sit here on a small island, surrounded by nothing but water (and effluent), I think of life as it must be going on in Toronto - glistening snowflakes to brighten an otherwise drab driveway, cool weather affording the opportunity to sport one's fine winter raiment, the cheery smile of the oil man ever eager to fill the tank, whatever the weather, with nary a complaint. I realize that I must forgo all this for an entire season. Nonetheless I press on.

An outline of a typical day follows. Arise early (say around 10). A light breakfast (so as not to dull the wit): champagne, papaya stuffed with lobster. Trek from our grass hut to the boat landing laden with gear is difficult (the Porsche needs a tune-up). Heavy seas are running, but on to Coconut Island (they should put a gyro-bar in the yacht so the drinks don't spill). Re-establish amicable relationships with the resident natives (I wish they wouldn't bow so low). From the Laboratory we set off in outrigger canoes. Destination - the south coast; objective - to study communication amongst hermit crabs rumored to be in the area and talking to each other. Is it really true? We press on in great expectation. I am awakened when an isolated region of the south coast comes into view, locally termed Moana Hotel. We beach and the friendly natives invite us to partake in a luau. So as not to offend, we pick at roast kalua pig, poi, lomi-lomi salmon, lau-lau, and cautiously sip a native beverage, Primo. According to local intelligence the hermits were last heard a little ways down the coast. We set off on foot; my litter bounces terribly since the ground is uneven. Then thick fog sets in and all seems lost. But we chance upon a hut whose occupant (Trader Vic) furnishes us with a device that will penetrate even the densest fog - the Fog Cutter! While I return for several more, those already equipped begin observation. The hermits are here! And most important, they are communicating!! Through a direct link with the computer in our distant Laboratory we beat in our data (on-line drums) and receive instant analysis. Our first data reveal a chemical effect of the anti-fog device on hermit crab communication (graph below). We are ecstatic and vow to return the next day with more ice and a better shaker.

Mele Kalikimaka to All!



D.W. Dunham
Research Affiliate





I'M STILL NOT CONVINCED!



WE'RE ALL SWINGERS AT THE CONVENT!

AGENDA - STAFF MEETING

To: All Academic Staff

From: Chairman, Zoology Department

Subject: Austerity

Colleagues:

As you are well aware, no doubt, the Department faces serious financial problems in the face of rising costs and shrinking budgets. Therefore, I would suggest several solutions.

Firstly, used paper towels should be taken home in your briefcase, which is presumably empty and used only on the incoming trip for carrying lunches. These can be cleaned along with your wife's washing and then reused several times more. This will result in a substantial saving to the Department.

Secondly, would you request that all students occupy rooms along the north side of the building, and that your offices be relocated in the south. This will create a favourable impression with the general public since they can see only the north side of the building which will be lit during most of the night and early morning, while the south face will remain dark except during daily office hours.

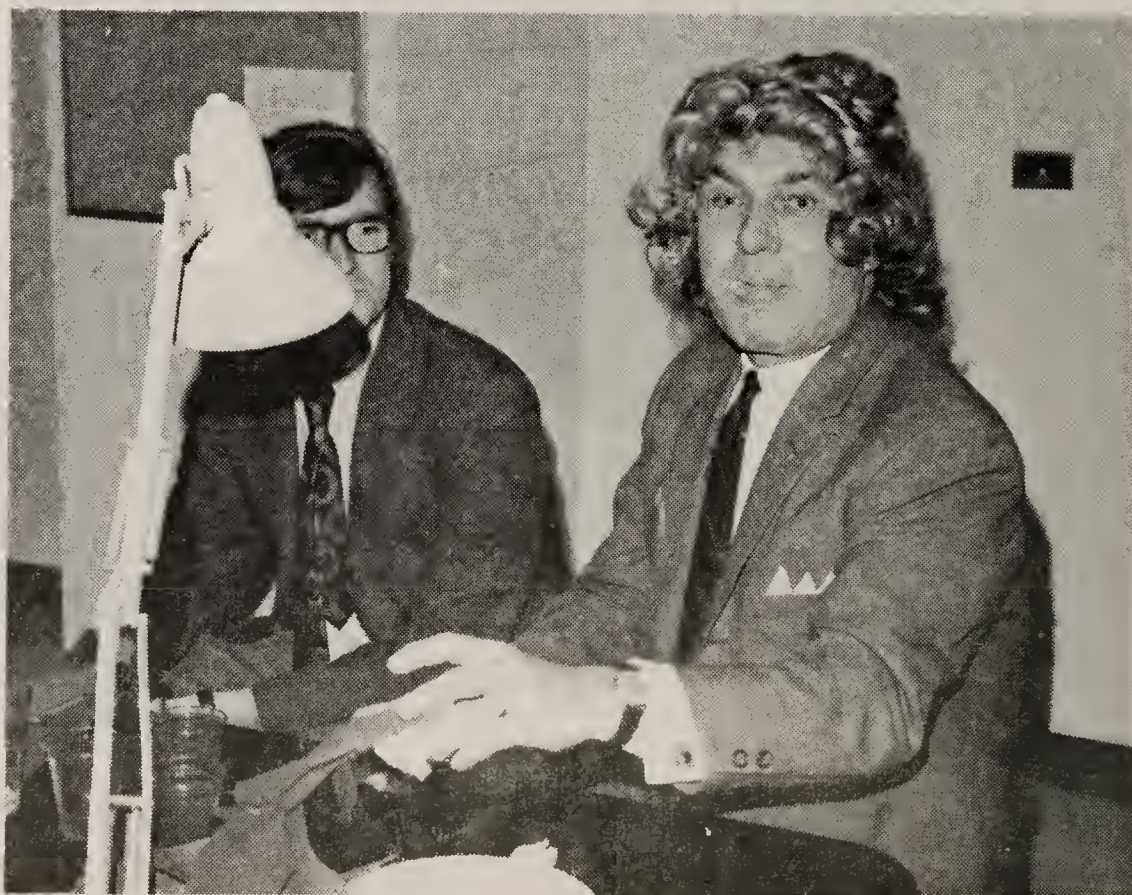
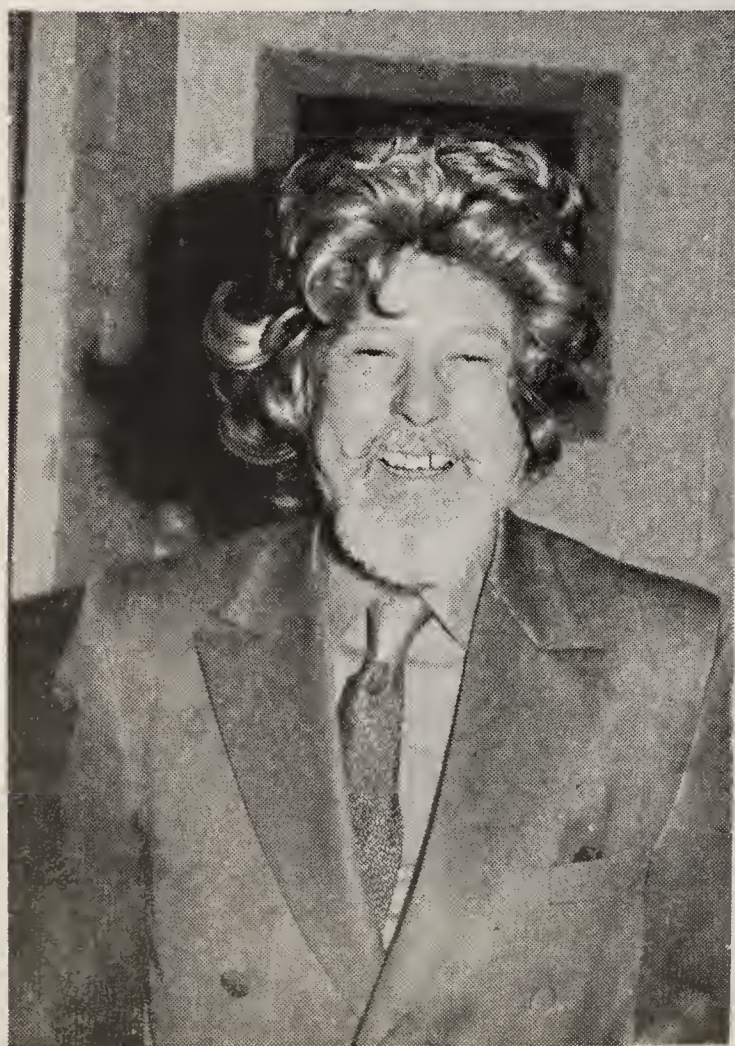
Please give these matters your deepest consideration.

THERE ONCE WAS A PROF IN ZOOLOGY
HE WAS VERY INVOLVED WITH ECOLOGY
WAS APPALLED IF ONE SMOKED
WHEN ONE LIT UP HE CROAKED
AND THE DOC WOULD DEMAND AN APOLOGY

A LOT OF PEOPLE HAD A HAIRY TIME AT LAST YEARS PARTY



IS BILL MOONLIGHTING AT VIDAL SASSOON'S



Form of Daily Service for use in all Government Departments and
in all Branches

PRAYER

O Lord, grant that this day we may come to
no decisions

Neither run into any kind of responsibility;
But that all our doings may be so ordered as to
establish

New and quite unwarranted Departments,
For ever and ever.

Amen.

HYMN

O Thou, who seest all things below
Grant that Thy servants may go slow
That they may study to comply
With regulations till they die

Teach us O Lord, to reverence
Committees more than common sense
Impress our minds to make no plan
But pass the Baby when we can

And when the Tempter seeks to give
Us feelings of initiative
Or when alone we go too far
Chastise us with a circular

Midst war and tumult, fire and storms
Strengthen us, we pray, with forms.
Thus will Thy servants ever be
A flock of perfect sheep for Thee.

Amen.

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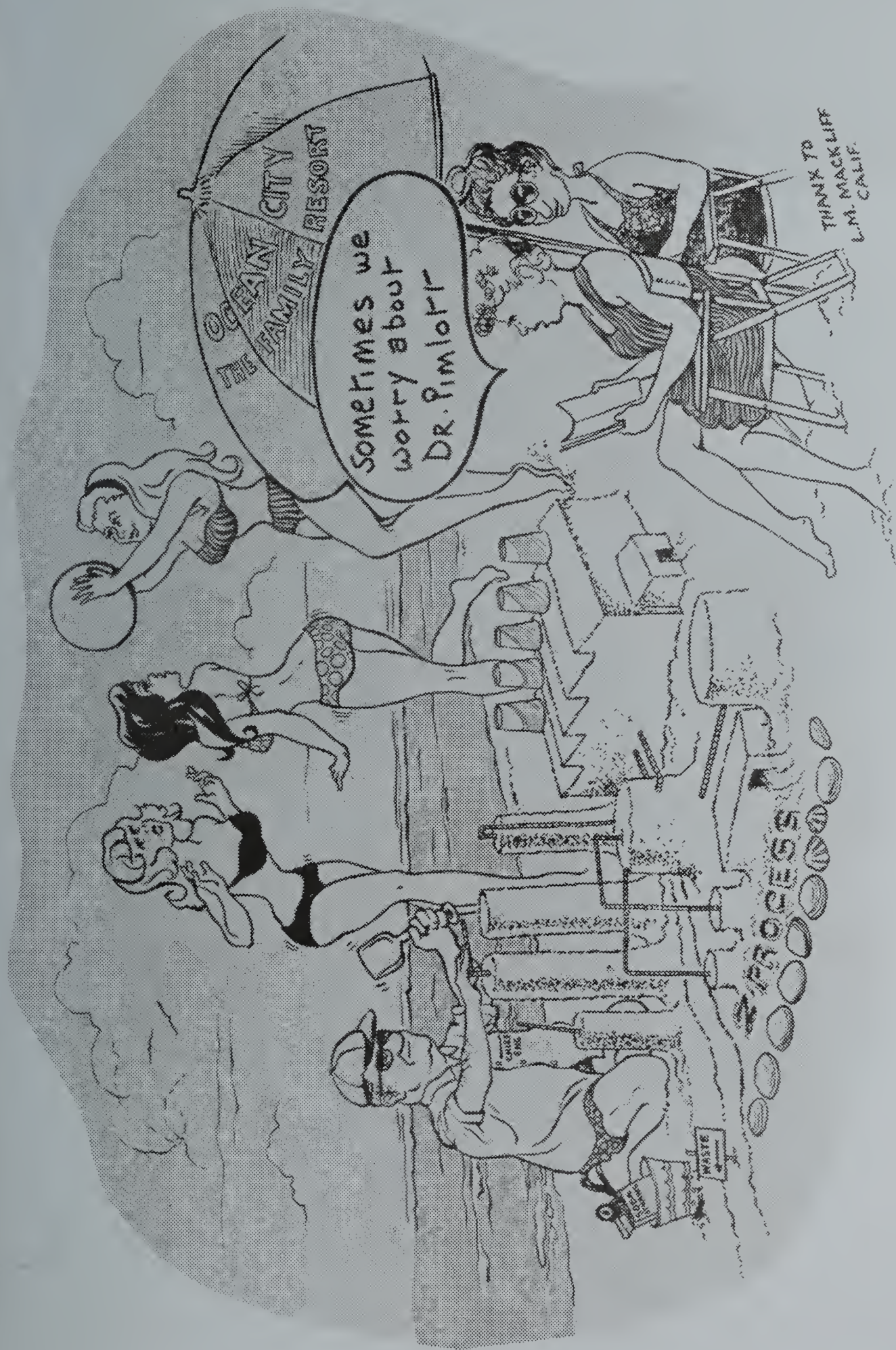
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